



THE CATHOLIC CHURCH OF THE
ASSUMPTION
OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

Holy Mass

SUNDAY

8:30 am Extraordinary Form

11:00 am

4:30 pm Syro-Malabar Rite

WEDNESDAY

6:00 pm

HOLY DAYS OF OBLIGATION

6:30 pm

CONFESSIONS

before Mass and by appointment

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FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT

MARCH 13, 2016

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Why are the statues and crosses shrouded in the church? It was a custom to shroud or cover the crosses and statues in a church with purple or red cloth. Some churches still retain this practice, as the *Roman Missal* states:

The practice of covering the crosses and images in the church may be observed if the episcopal conference should so decide. The crosses are to be covered until the end of the celebration of the Lord's passion on Good Friday. Images are to remain covered until the beginning of the Easter Vigil.

The practice reminds us that we have entered the solemn Holy Week, and helps us avoid distractions. This practice could easily be implemented at home. The fabric can either be dyed purple or red, or bought ready-made by the yard (inexpensive remnants are an option, available at all fabric and craft stores). An added practice could be placing a shroud over the TV, as a reminder that during this week there should be no television viewing. Some families cover mirrors in various parts of the house, also to curb distractions. These coverings should remain until after the Easter Vigil Mass on Holy Saturday.

Stations of the Cross will be celebrated Fridays during Lent at 6pm.

Lectio Divina: Join us for a time to read, meditate, pray and contemplate. We will meet again **March 19th at 10am** in the Buddeke House For more information please contact Cassi Frazier: cass615@gmail.com, 615-516-4554 or Shannon Ryan 480-766-2305, shannonroseryan@gmail.com

NDCCW Line Dance: First ever Fun Raising Party! Friday, April 22nd, 7-10pm at St. Pius X Marc Carr Auditorium. Door prizes, food vendors, refreshments! \$20 in advance, \$25 limited at the door. Call Theola Copeland for tickets: 615-438-4437 or tcopeland66@outlook.com. Come and do the Cupid Shuffle, Electric Slide, Bikers Shuffle and many more! Tickets are also available at St. Mary's Bookstore.

Way of the Cross for Victims of Abortion: On Good Friday we remember all the victims of abortion—the children lost, the mothers wounded, the communities blighted—in a solemn Way of the Cross led by Dcn. Ken Levinson, we will pray for healing and a final end to injustice. All families are welcome. **March 25, 12-1:30pm**, The Women's Center—419 Welshwood Dr. Information: marilyn.e.cox@me.com

Wednesday

6pm Chrism Mass at the Cathedral
(no Mass at Assumption)

Holy Thursday

6pm Mass *

Good Friday (church will open at 10am and be open until after the Liturgy)

11am Stations of the Cross *

6pm Liturgy of the Lord's Passion*

Holy Saturday

8pm Easter Vigil*

Easter Sunday

8:30am Extraordinary Form

11am Ordinary Form*

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Calendar

THIS WEEK

Camp JP2 2016 Registration Open. Camp JP2 offers summer fun for kids 5-18 and runs June 6-July 1, Monday-Friday in two sessions, 9 a.m. -noon and 12:30 p.m.-3:30 p.m. Before and after care available. Info/registration: [visitwww.jp2hs.org/CAMP](http://www.jp2hs.org/CAMP) or paul.saboe@jp2hs.org.



JP2 Annual Golf Tournament - April 25, 2016 The Knights Athletics Club announces that sign-ups are now open for their annual Golf Tournament to be held on April 25th at Fairvue Plantation in Gallatin, Tennessee. Individuals, four-somes, and sponsors are encouraged to sign-up on the JP2 athletics page website. The cost for an individual round of golf is \$125 or \$500 for a foursome. Corporate sponsorships are available starting at \$150 and up. For more information, contact Suzie Schumacher at [561-309-7654](tel:561-309-7654) or susan@schumacherdesign.com.

Register for Father Ryan's 2016 Summer Camps, on their campus, 700 Norwood Dr., Nashville. Includes sports, drama, and art programs for rising K-12th graders. www.fatherryan.org/camps.



Registration is open for Camp St. Cecilia with a number of offerings for girls to experience the school's athletic, academic, and fine arts programs. Camp sessions run June 6-July 1 and July 11-23, with 70 camps for ages 4-18. Info: www.stcecilia.edu or scacamp@stcecilia.edu or 615-293-1625.



SAVE THE DATE: TOTUS TUUS will be held **July 16-22**. We are pleased to announce that

Holy Name will be joining us for this wonderful program. There will be pre-registration this year and space will be limited. Mark your calendars!

Spiritual Motherhood Conference: Saturday, April 9th, 9am-3pm. St. Edward Catholic Church. For women of all ages, states of life and vocation and men who would like to learn more about Mary's Spiritual Motherhood and the Priesthood. Cost: Free. Register Online: www.spiritualmaternity.org; (800)818-0584

The Diocese of Nashville is offering a pilgrimage to Fatima, Lourdes, Toulouse and Barcelona in late October 2016. This pilgrimage is open to families and adults. Travelers under 18 must be accompanied by a parent or guardian. For more information: Brandon Quigley brandon.quigley@dioceseofnashville.com. This is being provided for a fantastic price by the Catholic Pilgrim Offices. Deposits can be made online at mkt.com/cyonashville.

SUN 3/13 Fifth Sunday of Lent

- 8:30am Mass –Extraordinary Form
People of Assumption
- 9:45am Legion of Mary
RECTORY
- 9:45am Religious Education (Youth and Adult)
RECTORY, FR BERNARD HALL, BUDDKE HOUSE
- 10:00am Choir Practice
BUDDKE HOUSE
- 11:00am Mass
+Fr. Philip Breen
- 12:00pm Angela Peach Baby Shower
BUDDKE HOUSE
- 12:30pm Syro-Malabar Retreat
- 4:30pm Syro-Malabar Rite
- 5:30pm Syro-Malabar Supper
FR BERNARD HALL

MON 3/14 Fifth Week of Lent

- 6:00pm Mary Kay Regional Meeting
BUDDKE HOUSE

WED 3/16 Fifth Week of Lent

- 9:00am JP2 Freshman Retreat
BUDDKE HOUSE/CHURCH
- 5:00pm Adoration
- 6:00pm Mass
+Leon Strange

THU 3/17 St. Patrick

- 6:00pm Mass
+Fr. Philip Breen

FRI 3/18 Fifth Week of Lent

- 6:00pm Stations of the Cross
- 6:00pm Syro-Malabar Retreat

SAT 3/19 St. Joseph, Husband of the Blessed Virgin Mary

- 8:00am Mass-Extraordinary Form
All Priests
- 9:00am Syro-Malabar Retreat
- 10:00am Lectio Divina
BUDDKE HOUSE

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Last Week's Collection

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